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Sir:

Per the request of the Examiner, patentees are submitting herewith a copy of references previously submitted in an Information Disclosure Statement filed September 21, 2001, which was acknowledged by the Examiner on July 22, 2004:

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